

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2023 Legislative Session

Bill Version:	SB 10
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Identifier: SB010-DFG-DWC-1-20-23
Title: HUNTING/TRAPPING/FISHING: DISABLED VETS
Sponsor: KIEHL
Requester: (S)RESOURCES

Department: Department of Fish and Game
Appropriation: Wildlife Conservation
Allocation: Wildlife Conservation
OMB Component Number: 473

Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2024 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2024 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2024	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2023) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2024) cost: 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No
(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? No
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

STATE OF ALASKA
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This legislation inserts a section from AS 16.05.341, free license for disabled veterans and active members of the Alaska National Guard, and military reserves, to the permanent identification card (PID) statutes. The permanent identification card is a free hunting, fishing, and trapping license for residents over 60 years old with no annual renewal.

Currently resident disabled veterans may obtain a free hunting and fishing license from the department however, trapping licenses are not included. The free disabled veterans license also must be applied for annually. Adding this section to the permanent PID statute would provide a free trapping license for disabled veterans but would also provide a license without annual renewal.

Between CY2017 and CY2020, the division has issued 827 resident trapping licenses on average. These licenses cost \$25 and generate an average of \$20,600 in Fish and Game Fund revenue. The department does not expect that a large number of these licenses are under the age of 60 and also qualify as a disabled veterans. Therefore, the department expects minimal fiscal impact and submits a zero fiscal note.